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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

(Submitted Concurrently With Request For Continued Examination (RCE))

Honorable Commissioner For Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is submitted prior to the deadline of March 30, 2009, for filing a court appeal following the Decision on Request for Rehearing dated January 30, 2009.

A Request for Continued Examination together with the appropriate fee accompanies this response.

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